

INDIANA AND MICHIGAN STATE HAPPENINGS

DENTISTS OPEN
SESSION AT ELKHART

Thirty-Five From 13th District Welcomed by Mayor Smith.

News-Times Special Service:

ELKHART, April 27.—Thirty-five more members of the Thirteenth District Dental Society of whom ten are from South Bend attended the first meeting of the society in the banquet hall of Hotel Bucklen today. Nearly every city and town in the district was represented.

The meeting was opened with an invocation by Rev. A. U. Ogilvie of the Congregational church. He was followed by Mayor F. E. Smith, who had been asked to deliver an address of welcome.

Mayor Smith said he had accepted the invitation to welcome the dentists for the reason that he knew them to be a progressive body of men who are interested in the betterment of the communities in which they live, an active in betterment movements, and because of his association and dealings with members of the profession he had found them always standing for the uplift of the community.

He hoped the visitors would be so well pleased with Elkhart and the courtesy extended them that they would decide to hold all their meetings here. The mayor displayed a souvenir picture of the new municipal and superior court building, and then extended an invitation for the visitors to inspect the building before leaving the city. He promised each a picture of the building.

Up to 5 o'clock Wednesday afternoon the following members had registered: Dr. Shilder, Laporte; Drs. Hager, Stoeckley, Conklin, Laven, Ash, McCallum and Rossier, all of South Bend; Drs. Stag, Singer, McCoy, Kessler, Vallette, Carpenter and Dobson of Goshen; Drs. Deeds, Burckett, Hiltchcock, Derr and Dunforth of Plymouth; Dr. Freeman, Laporte; Dr. Peterson, Milford; Drs. Ross and Sawyer, Michigan City; Dr. Wilsey, Argos; Dr. Gilles, Hammond; Drs. Menges, Seidel, Welter, Runyon, George, Harter, Stamp, Gable, Schuler, Weller, Whitney, Adams and Werner, all of Elkhart.

The Arrow Automobile Co.'s proposition to erect a plant in this city, which was further considered at a meeting of the Century club's public service board Tuesday and again at a committee meeting Wednesday, will be given further consideration before a definite decision is reached. J. W. Fieldhouse, who with J. J. Laver and L. D. Hall, form the committee to consider the proposition, said today that nothing further had been done with the proposition and that another meeting probably would be called before anything of a definite nature was accomplished.

BOY MURDERER DIES

Berrien County Youth Dies in Jackson Prison.

News-Times Special Service:

JACKSON, April 27.—Harold Ulery, the 17-year-old murderer, died in the prison here following a long illness. He was sentenced March 29, 1914, from Berrien county for the murder of the proprietress of a country store at Fairland.

D. M. SHIVELY

Announces the removal of his law offices to Suite 612-613-614, (top floor) Farmers Trust Building, corner Main and Jefferson streets, South Bend, Ind. Bell phone 1117; Home phone 6318.—Adv.

ION-O-LEX USED IN
ENGLISH MILITARY
HOSPITALS

Prominent Physicians Claim
Amazing Results for This
Truly Remarkable
Discovery

Ton-o-lex is being largely used in field and military hospitals to prevent inflammation in wounds and to stop inflammation in pneumonia, bronchitis and other throat and lung diseases. Dr. J. Herne Wilson, a prominent English physician, declares that it has greatly reduced the percentage of deaths from pneumonia and has been invaluable in the treatment of other inflammatory diseases as well as in preventing serious after effects from wounds.

It contains no narcotics or opiates. It is as harmless and almost as tasteless as olive oil. It simply penetrates the tissues—re-insulates the nerve sheaths—and stops the inflammation. That is all it does—just stops inflammation. It is an everyday, household necessity. It will take the pain and inflammation out of a burn in an amazing short time. It will aid in the rapid healing of cuts or other wounds. It is invaluable in cases of croup, sore throat, tonsillitis, bronchitis and pneumonia. It stops the inflammation in these diseases—nature does the rest. Disease germs can spread only in inflamed tissues—when the inflammation is stopped they die of their

13-YEAR-OLD MANTON GIRL
AND HUSBAND ARE HELD.

News-Times Special Service:

CHICAGO, April 27.—Mary Annals of Manton, Mich., was 13 years old July 29, 1915, which was old enough, she thought, to come to Chicago with John Jakczunas.

Mary's mother is an invalid, but she told of the runaway to her friend, Fred M. Breen, probate judge at Cadillac, Mich., who asked Hinton G. Clabaugh of the department of justice to search for the couple. Jakczunas was arrested and took the authorities to 12248 S. Union av., where Mary was living. She produced a marriage certificate showing that she had been married to Jakczunas on Feb. 16. The two are being held until Judge Breen arrives.

INDIANA POSTMASTERS
COMPLETE ORGANIZATION

Robert F. Springstein, Indianapolis Postmaster, Elected President of Association.

News-Times Special Service: INDIANAPOLIS, April 27.—Robert E. Springstein, postmaster of Indianapolis, was elected president of the Indiana Association of Postal Postmasters in a conference in which the organization was formed here. One hundred and twelve postmasters of first, second and third class postoffices of Indiana were present.

The other officers elected were: John Nolan, Evansville, vice president; Otto McMahon, Rockville, vice president; O. R. Jenkins, Osgood, vice president; R. P. Carpenter, Noblesville, secretary, and Frank D. Haimbaugh, Muncie, treasurer. Annual meetings of the organization will be held unless special meetings are called by the president. It is probable that a special session will be called soon to outline work which the body hopes to undertake during the first year.

The object of the association is to foster a spirit of mutual helpfulness among postmasters and improve the service. The organization is said to be non-political.

VINCENNES WOULD HAVE
OFFICIAL FLAG FOR CITY

Would be Used During Centennial Celebration—Design is Prepared.

News-Times Special Service: VINCENNES, Ind., April 27.—The city council is considering the adoption of a flag for Vincennes to be used as the city's official emblem during the coming Indiana centennial celebration. A design has been presented to the members by Dr. James D. McDowell, Lewis A. Meyer, and R. I. Hamilton, comprising the Vincennes historical commission.

The emblem, as suggested, is intended to set forth the British rule of Vincennes by an Old English red "V" in the blue center, and the French control by a white fleur-de-lis, which was the national emblem of France during the time this territory was under the French government.

Radiating from the center there are 18 white stripes, indicating that Indiana was the 18th state admitted to the union. There also are 48 small white stripes, indicating the number of states now in the union. The city attorney has been directed to prepare a proposed ordinance to be introduced at the next session of the council, which will propose the adoption of the flag.

Dr. A. R. Messick has removed his office into suite 101, Farmers' Security Bldg.—Adv.

SEARCH COUNTRY
FOR LOST YOUTH

Fifteen Year Old Boy Disappears While on Way to School.

News-Times Special Service: MARSHALL, April 27.—Byron Atterbury, a 15-year-old boy residing with his parents in Eckford, appeared completely white on his way to school. He was following his sisters to the school house, walking some distance behind them. The two girls had been at the school building for some time before they noticed that their brother was missing. The parents of the lad were immediately notified and a search started.

When no trace of young Atterbury was discovered the sheriff's department was notified and Deputy Van Arman and Sheriff Mallory hastened to the scene. All the country around the farm for a number of miles has been searched. No one has seen anything of the lad. The only trace the department can get of the youth is the report of a neighbor that he had seen a lad answering his description southeast of Eckford village on the morning of the disappearance. The sheriff will redouble his efforts to locate the boy and notified towns, describing the lad. When last seen he wore a blue serge suit with knickerbocker trousers, a gray cap and new black shoes. He has flaming red hair and bright blue eyes. He had about \$1 in his pocket when he left for school.

SCHOOLS URGED TO
SAVE WASTE PAPER

Superintendent of Public Instruction Says It is Valuable Asset.

News-Times Special Service: LANSING, Mich., April 27.—"Save your waste paper," is the suggestion being sent to every school district in the state by Supt. Fred L. Keeler of the department of public instruction.

Owing to the high price of paper, Mr. Keeler reasons that scrap baskets full of paper are a valuable asset. The careful saving of it and sale should bring about a convenient fund, he says.

"White occasionally a school janitor takes care of waste paper," said Mr. Keeler, "the great bulk of the waste paper in schools is consigned to the furnace. The school boards will be surprised how much paper can be collected in one day from a large city school building. And they will be surprised, too at the price which they can get for what they have classed as absolutely useless."

"In addition to being a saving, the collection of waste paper should be an object lesson in thrift for the pupils."

OFFICERS ARE ELECTED

Members of Indiana Gas Association Meet at Indianapolis.

News-Times Special Service: INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., April 27.—With the election of officers for the ensuing year, the eighth annual meeting of the Indiana Gas Association has closed. Indianapolis was selected for the meeting place next year. Officers elected are: President, G. M. Dolley, Logansport; vice president, E. J. Burke, Indianapolis; secretary-treasurer, James W. Dushbar, New Albany. Three new directors were elected and two others were chosen to fill the places of Robert Lawlor, resigned, and E. J. Burke, who was elected vice president. The new directors are: W. W. Goodrich, Winchester; J. W. Maxon, ex-officio, Muncie; C. D. Shaul, Terre Haute; B. K. Cash, Wabash, and J. D. Forrest, Indianapolis.

The principal address of the afternoon session was made by E. J. Burke, Indianapolis, on "Publicity and Advertisement."

Mr. Burke went into the question of advertising, laying considerable stress on the value of newspaper campaigns.

HOTEL FIRE FORCES
30 INTO RAINSTORM

Early Morning Blaze Causes \$60,000 Damage—Started in Oil Tank.

News-Times Special Service: RICHMOND, Mich., April 27.—Thirty occupants of Hotel Elliott escaped in their night garments and shivered in a rainstorm at 2:30 o'clock this morning, when awakened by smoke and an explosion of two oil tanks in the basement of the Cooper and Son department store, which adjoins the hotel.

The department store and the hotel buildings and their contents were destroyed. The loss is estimated at about \$60,000. The hotel proprietor, William Elliott, Mrs. Elliott, their son, Richard, his wife and baby, clad only in light raiment, were forced to flee. This is the third heavy loss Mr. Elliott has suffered. He was one of the victims of a conflagration at Oscoda.

Flower bulbs and bulk seeds, The Wesley Miller Flour & Feed Co., Adv.

CALHOUN PIONEER
ENDS HIS OWN LIFE

Despondency Over Ill Health Causes Farmer to Shoot Himself.

News-Times Special Service: BATTLE CREEK, Mich., April 27.—Despondent because of ill health, John Oberhauser, 63 years old, a life-long resident of Calhoun county, committed suicide at his farm home in Newton township, 10 miles southeast of this city near Cotton lake. A 12-gauge shotgun was used, death resulting almost instantly.

After finishing his morning meal about 6:30 o'clock, Mr. Oberhauser left the house evidently in good spirits. He was not seen again until his lifeless body was found at the south side of the house by his son, Fred. Neither the wife nor the son heard the fatal shot fired.

The gun had been placed close to the breast, near the heart and a stick was used to pull the trigger. The shot made but one large hole, the gun being so near the body. According to members of the family, the deceased has been suffering from heart trouble during the last few weeks and it is thought that he became despondent over this illness. No other motive for the act can be assigned as he has had no domestic trouble and his financial affairs were in good shape.

Mr. Oberhauser was the owner of a 200-acre farm overlooking Cotton lake, which, it is stated, was free and clear from debt. His two sons, Fred and Louis, assisted him in working the farm. The Oberhausers purchased this property about 30 years ago, clearing what was then a wooded tract.

Resides the two sons, the widow survives.

MISSION SOCIETY ENDS
ANNUAL CONVENTION

Baptists Name Officers For Ensuing Year—Executive Boards Are Chosen.

News-Times Special Service:

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., April 27.—The third annual meeting of the east central district of the Woman's American Baptist Foreign Missionary society, has closed here. The following officers and members of executive boards were elected: President, Mrs. F. P. Beaver, Dayton, O.; vice president for home administration, Mrs. C. H. Prescott, Cleveland, O.; vice president for foreign administration, Mrs. T. J. Kirkpatrick, Springfield, O.; secretary, Mrs. Charles E. Macfarlan, Cincinnati; treasurer, Miss Alberta Dickinson, Cleveland; executive board: Indiana—Mrs. Alta Fitzpatrick, Columbus; and Mrs. George V. Dawson, Richerster, Ohio—Mrs. A. T. McDonnell, Lima; Mrs. Clarence Richards, Columbus; Mrs. Charles Sumner Brown, Cincinnati; Mrs. Curtis Vinne, Cleveland, and Mrs. W. H. Alexander, Columbus; from West Virginia, Mrs. L. F. Cavendish, Huntington. The district includes Indiana, Ohio and West Virginia.

SIXTH DISTRICT CLUBS
WOULD RAISE \$10,000

Connersville Selected as Next Meeting Place—Officers Are Elected.

News-Times Special Service:

SHELBYVILLE, Ind., April 27.—Connersville has been selected as the place for the tenth annual convention of the sixth district Federation of Clubs. The ninth annual convention was closed here, Mrs. Guy Abercrombie of Rushville was elected district chairman to succeed Mrs. T. Benton Henley of Carthage. Mrs. Maude New of Greenfield was elected vice chairman and Mrs. Willard Petro of Cambridge City, was re-elected secretary-treasurer.

Miss Vida Newsum of Columbus, a former state president, received an ovation when she talked on the importance of raising a state endowment fund of \$10,000, and many pledges were received at the close of her talk. In the resolutions the convention expressed the hope that the time will soon come when the women of Indiana may vote on the temperance question.

SKULL IS FRACTURED

Horse Runs Away and Aged Man is Injured.

News-Times Special Service: HILLSDALE, Mich., April 27.—When his horse ran away on Spring st. Monday, Andrew Carver, about 75 years old, living three miles west of the city, was thrown from his wagon and suffered a fractured skull and numerous bruises. The horse ran into the auto of City Marshal Whitney, which was standing unoccupied while Mr. Whitney was superintending some work. Mr. Carver struck on the auto. The horse ran away last winter, threw Mr. Carver out and he was injured somewhat at that time. It is believed Mr. Carver will recover from his most recent accident.

LUTHERAN TEACHERS MEET.

News-Times Special Service:

FORT WAYNE, Ind., April 27.—Ninety teachers from Lutheran schools in this part of the state were present at the annual conference of Lutheran instructors held in the St. Paul Lutheran church here. Technical discussion of teaching methods were the features of the session.

EASTERN STAR ORDER
ELECTS NEW OFFICERS

Forty-second Annual Convention in Full Swing at Indianapolis.

News-Times Special Service:

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., April 27.—The following officers were elected for the ensuing year at the 42nd annual convention of the Order of the Eastern Star:

Grand patron, George W. Hartsock, Kendallville; grand matron, Mrs. Amelia Barton, Kendallville; associate grand matron, Mrs. Lizzie J. Smyzer, Logansport; associate grand patron, Lincoln V. Crayens, Hammond; grand conductress, Mrs. George Bardsley, Whiting; associate grand conductress, Mrs. Cora H. Holland, Indianapolis; treasurer, Mrs. Mamie Conrad, Warsaw; secretary, Mrs. Nettie Ramsford, Indianapolis.

About 1,000 delegates and visitors were present at the opening meeting and more arrived during the afternoon. The meetings were presided over by the grand matron, Mrs. Florence Strout of Bedford. At the memorial exercises addresses were made by Mrs. Alice Meadows, grand matron of Ontario; Mrs. Katherine Watts Clarke, grand matron of Kentucky; Mrs. Nettie C. Kenner, grand secretary of Illinois and Mrs. Mary Shipper, grand secretary of Ontario.

Treasury Report Strong.

The reports of the officers showed the order to be in a flourishing condition, the total balance reported by the treasurer being \$16,964.83. The report of the grand secretary contained the information that three chapters had surrendered charters.

An excursion was run today to Franklin for a visit to the Masonic home. The excursion started at 8 o'clock and the return trip was made at noon. The business of the grand chapter was completed in the afternoon.

T'IS NOT PROFANITY
AS SHERMAN USED IT

Word "Hell" in Wire Message Cause of Delay—General Upheld.

News-Times Special Service:

RICHMOND, Ind., April 27.—Whether the word "hell" is profanity when direct application is made to the classic of Gen. Sherman, as relating to war, was a mooted question today, when 30 or more messages containing the word were filed at the office of the Western Union Telegraph Co. for transmission to Washington by way of Cincinnati. The messages were from German-American citizens of Richmond and were directed to Congressman Finly Gray. They read:

"Do all you can to prevent a break with Germany. War is hell." When the first message filed was sent the operator at Cincinnati objected on the theory that the word "hell" was profane, and that the Western Union rules forbade the transmission of such language. The local office insisted that the word "hell" as used had direct reference to Sherman's famous declaration, and, therefore, was not profane in the usual acceptance of the term. There was much argument over the wire. The chief operator of the Cincinnati office was appealed to and finally ruled that the Richmond office's interpretation of the word would stand. All the individual messages were then received and sent on their way to Congressman Gray.

TRY ASSASSINATION.

International News Service: GENEVA, April 27.—A dispatch from Athens today states that an attempt was made to assassinate the Bulgarian minister to Greece. A bomb was exploded in the court yard of the Bulgarian legation, but did only slight damage.

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In wide and narrow stripes—new flower patterns—and varied other combinations.
- 36 inch Tissue Gingham 29c yd.
In checks, stripes and plaids. All colors.
- 40 inch Tissue Nubbe 39c yd.
In eight different color designs and patterns.
- 36 inch Bon Ton Corded Voiles . . 39c yd.
In two tone designs—and ring patterns.
- 36 inch Tropical Suitings 39c yd.
Very new. In Summers newest plain colors.
- 40 inch Tissue Filet 39c yd.
In varied color floral designs and patterns.
- 36 inch Wash Taffeta Silk Shirting . 48c yd.
In new color stripes for waists or dresses.
- 36 inch New Blazer Stripes 50c yd.
In gay colored wide stripes for middie or suits.
- 36 inch Arbutus Silk Crepe 59c yd.
Washable—in varied plain and colored designs.
- 36 inch Costume Wash Silk 59c yd.
In dainty plaid and floral patterns. Very new.
- 45 inch All Pure Linen Suitings . . 69c yd.
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